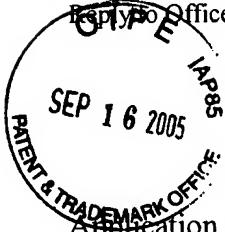


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Applicant: McVICKER ET AL.)

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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Office Action mailed June 14, 2005, please amend the above-identified
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Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2
of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.